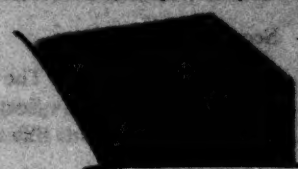


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Monday, 9 May 2011

Security Council

- 10 a.m. 6529th meeting Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01
1. Adoption of the agenda
 2. The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina
Letter dated 3 May 2011 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2011/283)
- 3 p.m. 6530th meeting Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01
1. Adoption of the agenda
 2. The situation in Libya
- Afternoon¹ Consultations of the whole (closed) Consultations Room GA-TSC-02
- The situation in Libya
- Other matters

¹To be held following the adjournment of the 6530th meeting.

Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries Istanbul, Turkey, 9-13 May 2011

Information on the Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries can be consulted on the Web site of the Conference at the following address: <www.un.org/wcm/content/site/ldc/home/conference>.



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Security Council

The Security Council will hold an open debate on Tuesday, 10 May 2011, in the Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01, in connection with the agenda item "Protection of civilians in armed conflict".

Member States wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers should contact the Secretariat (tel. 1 (212) 963-5258; room TB-08083; fax 1 (212) 963-4213), from 9.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*. Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers will not be available by telephone, but only in hard copy in the Chamber, shortly before the beginning of the meeting.

**General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session**

Informal informal consultations on the review of the Human Rights Council will take place on Tuesday, 10 May 2011, at 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

**General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session**

There will be an informal meeting of the plenary on the report of the Secretary-General entitled "Civilian capacity in the aftermath of conflict" (A/65/747), on Wednesday, 11 May 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 3 May 2011, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Delegations are kindly invited to inscribe for the meeting with the General Assembly Affairs Branch (e-mail mcgrade@un.org).

**General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session**

The election of fifteen members of the Human Rights Council, under agenda 112 (c), will be held on Friday, 20 May 2011, at 10 a.m. in the General Assembly Hall.

For further information concerning this election, please contact the General Assembly Affairs Branch (e-mail muturi@un.org). The list of candidates is available on the Web site of the General Assembly <www.un.org/ga/>, under "Meetings", and also on the CandiWeb at <<https://eroom.un.org/eRoom>>.

**General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session**

High-level meeting on the comprehensive review of the progress achieved in realizing the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS and the Political Declaration on HIV/AIDS (8-10 June 2011)

The high-level meeting on the comprehensive review of the progress achieved in realizing the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS and the Political Declaration on HIV/AIDS will be held from Wednesday, 8, to Friday, 10 June 2011. A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 14 April 2011, containing an information note and a programme of the meeting was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

The list of speakers for the plenary meetings is open. Delegations are kindly invited to inscribe for the plenary meetings with the List of Speakers of the General Assembly Affairs Branch (e-mail heddachem@un.org), indicating the name and the level of the speaker.

**General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session**

Fifth Committee

Second part of the resumed session

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 145 (Financing of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (A/65/615, A/65/736, A/65/736/Corr.1 and A/65/743/Add.14)); and

Agenda item 146 (Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (A/65/625, A/65/706 and A/65/743/Add.2))

3–6 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda items 147 and 148 (Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo; and Financing of the United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (A/65/682, A/65/744 and A/65/743/Add.8)); and

Agenda item 150 (Financing of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste (A/65/687, A/65/746 and A/65/743/Add.6))

General Assembly

Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations

2011 substantive session

Working Group of the Whole

10 a.m.	Closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)
	Consideration of the draft report by the Working Group of the Whole	[6]

Plenary

Morning ¹ –1 p.m.	221st meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)
	Consideration of the draft report by the Working Group of the Whole	[6]
	Adoption of the report to the General Assembly at its sixty-fifth session (A/AC.121/2011/L.3)	[7]
	Other matters	[8]

¹Immediately following the adjournment of the meeting of the Working Group of the Whole.

Open-ended Meeting of Governmental Experts on the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects

10 a.m.–1 p.m.	1st meeting	Conference Room 1 (NLB)
	Opening of the meeting by the High Representative for Disarmament Affairs	[1]
	Election of the Chair	[2]
	Statement by the Chair	[3]
	Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters (A/CONF.192/MGE/2011/L.1 ¹ and A/CONF.192/MGE/2011/L.2 ¹)	[4]
	Introduction to the issue (A/CONF.192/MGE/2011/CRP.1)	[5]
3–6 p.m.	2nd meeting	Conference Room 1 (NLB)
	Consideration of key implementation challenges and opportunities relating to the International Tracing Instrument, including international cooperation and assistance: Marking	[6 (a)]

[Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers should communicate their requests to the secretariat (Mr. Victor Leu (e-mail leu@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1531; room IN-0608C).]

[The list of side events scheduled to be held during the Meeting, as well as other information, can be accessed at www.poa-iss.org/mge/sideevents.html.]

¹To be issued.

Group of governmental experts to review the operation and further development of the Standardized Instrument for Reporting Military Expenditures

Third session

10 a.m.–1 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 7 (NLB)
3–6 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Economic and Social Council**Commission on Sustainable Development****Nineteenth session****Parallel meetings****Working Group 1**

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Thematic cluster for the implementation cycle 2010-2011 — policy session
(E/CN.17/2011/3, E/CN.17/2011/12, E/CN.17/2011/13, E/CN.17/2011/14,
E/CN.17/2011/15*, E/CN.17/2011/16, E/CN.17/2011/18 and E/CN.17/2011/19) . . . [3]

(d) Mining (E/CN.17/2011/7)

*Discussion and negotiations***Working Group 2**

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Thematic cluster for the implementation cycle 2010-2011 — policy session
(E/CN.17/2011/3, E/CN.17/2011/12, E/CN.17/2011/13, E/CN.17/2011/14,
E/CN.17/2011/15*, E/CN.17/2011/16, E/CN.17/2011/18 and E/CN.17/2011/19) . . . [3]

(c) Waste management (E/CN.17/2011/6)

*Discussion and negotiations***Working Group 1**

3–6 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Thematic cluster for the implementation cycle 2010-2011 — policy session
(E/CN.17/2011/3, E/CN.17/2011/12, E/CN.17/2011/13, E/CN.17/2011/14,
E/CN.17/2011/15*, E/CN.17/2011/16, E/CN.17/2011/18 and E/CN.17/2011/19) . . . [3]

*Discussion and negotiations on inter-linkages and cross-cutting issues,
including means of implementation***Working Group 2**

3–6 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Thematic cluster for the implementation cycle 2010-2011 — policy session
(E/CN.17/2011/3, E/CN.17/2011/12, E/CN.17/2011/13, E/CN.17/2011/14,
E/CN.17/2011/15*, E/CN.17/2011/16, E/CN.17/2011/18 and E/CN.17/2011/19) . . . [3]

(e) A 10-year framework of programmes on sustainable consumption and production
patterns (E/CN.17/2011/8)

*Discussion and negotiations***Contact Group**

3–6 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 10 (NLB)

Thematic cluster for the implementation cycle 2010-2011 — policy session
(E/CN.17/2011/3, E/CN.17/2011/12, E/CN.17/2011/13, E/CN.17/2011/14,
E/CN.17/2011/15*, E/CN.17/2011/16, E/CN.17/2011/18 and E/CN.17/2011/19) . . . [3]

(b) Chemicals (E/CN.17/2011/5)*Discussion and negotiations***Learning Centre Conference Room B (NLB)**

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Synergizing resource efficiency with informal sector towards sustainable waste management

3–6 p.m. Freight sustainability: SmartWay Transport Partnership

[Members of the Commission, as well as observers, are kindly requested to communicate, *as soon as possible*, the composition of their delegations to the Secretary of the Commission, Ms. Vivian Pliner (room IN-0628B; e-mail pliner@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5935).]

[Background information, including the programme of activities and the list of side events on the occasion of the nineteenth session of the Commission, is available at the following address: <www.un.org/csa/dsd/csd/csd_csd19.shtml>.]

General Assembly**United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women)****Executive Board****Informal consultations**

There will be informal consultations (sixth meeting) of the Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women), on the strategic plan, on *Monday, 9 May 2011*, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

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Monday, 9 May 2011

Group of 77 (on the nineteenth session of the Commission on Sustainable Development)

9 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room D (NLB)

1–3 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room D (NLB)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room D (NLB)

JUSCANZ Group (on the nineteenth session of the Commission on Sustainable Development) (at the expert level)

9-9.30 a.m. Closed meeting Conference Room E (NLB)

Arab Group (Third Committee experts)

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 8
(General Assembly Building)

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/News/press/docs/2011/20110509.shtml.

Monday, 9 May 2011**Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium**

- 11 a.m. Mr. Sha Zhukang, Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs, and Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development (Rio+20); and H.E. Mr. László Borbély (Romania), Chair of the nineteenth session of the Commission on Sustainable Development (on the nineteenth session of the Commission and its contributions to Rio+20)
- 12 noon Press briefing by the Spokesperson
- 12.45 p.m. Mr. Ray Dolphin, Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA), and author of the report entitled "East Jerusalem: Key humanitarian concerns"
- 3 p.m. United Nations Democracy Fund (UNDEF) (on new findings on how effectively the international democracy family is supporting the many actors in the field) [Participants: Dr. Larry Diamond, Hoover Institution, Stanford University; and Dr. Joel Barkan, Center for Strategic and International Studies]

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

Fifth Committee

Second part of the resumed session

The Fifth Committee will hold its 35th meeting on Tuesday, 10 May 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB). Informal consultations (closed) will be held following the adjournment of the 35th meeting, and at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

General Assembly**Committee on Contributions**

Seventy-first session

The Committee on Contributions will hold its seventy-first session at Headquarters from Monday, 6, to Friday, 24 June 2011.

The attention of any Member States intending to request an exemption under Article 19 of the Charter of the United Nations is drawn to the provisions of General Assembly resolution 54/237 C, in which the Assembly, *inter alia*, urges such Member States to provide the fullest possible supporting information.

The Assembly also decided that requests for exemption under Article 19 must be submitted by Member States at least two weeks before the session of the Committee on Contributions, so as to ensure a full review of the requests. Accordingly, any such requests should be received by the President of the General Assembly, *no later than Friday, 20 May 2011*. For further information, kindly contact the Secretary of the Committee (room FF-610 (304 East 45th Street); tel. 1 (212) 963-5306; fax 1 (212) 963-1943).

The Committee on Contributions will also be considering multi-year payment plans submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 57/4 B, as reaffirmed in resolution 64/248 of the Assembly. Any Member States intending to submit such a plan are also invited to contact the Secretary of the Committee for further information.

International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance

First Meeting of States Parties

The First Meeting of States Parties to the International Convention for the Protection of All Persons from Enforced Disappearance will take place on Tuesday, 31 May 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB), for the primary purpose of electing ten independent experts as members of the Committee on Enforced Disappearances. The Secretariat has received seven nominations for the ten positions. Notwithstanding the expiry of the deadline for nominations, further nominations from State parties may be sent to the OHCHR Registry (e-mail registry@ohchr.org) in Geneva.

Economic and Social Council

Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations 2011 resumed session

The 2011 resumed session of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations will be held from Monday, 16, to Tuesday, 24 May 2011, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). The provisional agenda with annotations is contained in document E/C.2/2011/1.

Members of the Committee, as well as observers, who wish to update the composition of their delegations, and new observers wishing to attend the resumed session, are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Sergei Cherniavsky (c/o Mr. Victor Leu (e-mail leu@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1531; room IN-0608C; fax 1 (212) 963-5305)).

Background information on the Committee, its procedures, forms and documentation is available on the Web site of the NGO Branch, Department of Economic and Social Affairs <www.un.org/esa/coordination/ngo>. Members of the Committee are strongly encouraged to use the online Paperless Committee System <csonet.org/ngocommittee>, where detailed information about upcoming applications can be found, as well as applications from previous sessions.

Members may also wish to take advantage of the joint publishing Portal of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations and the Meetings and Publishing Division — Integrated Delivery of Sustainable Publishing Services to meetings of Calendar bodies at the United Nations (ISPS) <www.unpublishing.org/isps-ngo/>. For details, please contact Mr. Narendra Nandoe (e-mail nandoe@un.org).

Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues Tenth session

The Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues will hold its tenth session from Monday, 16, to Friday, 27 May 2011. The provisional agenda of the session is contained in document E/C.19/2011/1 and the proposed organization of work is contained in document E/C.19/2011/L.1.

Member States of the United Nations, intergovernmental organizations and United Nations bodies and specialized agencies wishing to send observers to the session are requested to communicate the composition of their delegations, in advance of the session, to the Secretary of the Forum, Ms. Emer Herity (e-mail herity@un.org; room IN-0613C; fax 1 (212) 963-5305). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail. Only those observers who indicate their participation by *Wednesday, 11 May*, will be provided a nameplate on the floor on the opening day. All others will be seated on a first-come, first-served basis.

The list of speakers is open. Member States of the United Nations, United Nations bodies and specialized agencies wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers for a particular item should contact the secretariat (Ms. Juliana Darwiche (e-mail darwiche@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-1201; fax 1 (212) 963-5305)).

For background and other related documents of the tenth session of the Forum, please visit the following Web site <www.un.org/indigenous>.

United Nations Children's Fund**Executive Board***Briefing*

The Executive Board of UNICEF will hold an informal briefing, in preparation for the 2011 annual session, on Tuesday, 24 May 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB), on the report on progress of gender equality work in UNICEF. All interested members and observers delegations are invited to attend.

Pre-session briefing

An informal pre-session information briefing will be held on Tuesday, 7 June 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, of the United Nations Population Fund and of the United Nations Office for Project Services
Annual session 2011

The annual session 2011 of the Executive Board of UNDP, UNFPA and UNOPS will be held from Monday, 6, to Friday, 17 June 2011, in Conference Room 4 (NLB). The provisional agenda, list of documents and workplan for the session are contained in document DP/2011/L.2. Member States, as well as observers and other organizations, attending the session are requested to convey their credentials to the secretariat of the UNDP/UNFPA/UNOPS Executive Board (e-mail marcela.romero@undp.org; fax 1 (212) 906-5634), as early as possible, but *no later than Monday, 30 May 2011*. The session will be preceded by an informal consultation on matters to be taken up at the annual session of the Board, on Monday, 23 May, from 11 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

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JUSCANZ Group (on the nineteenth session of the Commission on Sustainable Development) (at the expert level)

Tuesday, 10 May 2011, from 9 to 9.30 a.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

Western European and Other States Group (open-ended Working Group on a possible WEOG rotation scheme for the Security Council) (convened by the Permanent Mission of San Marino)

Wednesday, 11 May 2011, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

Group of 77 (Second Committee — UNFCCC)

Wednesday, 11 May 2011, from 1.15 to 2.15 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

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Briefing to the General Assembly (organized by the Counter-Terrorism Implementation Task Force (CTITF), Department of Political Affairs)

Thursday, 12 May 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

[The briefing is open to all Member States. For further information, please contact Mr. Fabrizio Trezza, CTITF Office (e-mail trezza@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4134).]

Panel discussion on "Confronting family poverty and social exclusion" (in observance of the International Day of Families (15 May)) (organized by the United Nations Programme on the Family, Division for Social Policy and Development, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Thursday, 12 May 2011, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For registration and further information, please contact Ms. Renata Kaczmarek, DESA (e-mail kaczmarek@un.org).]

Panel discussion on "Pope John Paul II and the dignity of the human person" (co-organized by the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See and the Permanent Mission of Poland)

Thursday, 12 May 2011, from 6.30 to 8 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For the list of speakers, please visit the following site <www.holyseemission.org>. For further information, please contact the Permanent Observer Mission of the Holy See (e-mail event@holyseemission.org; tel. 1 (212) 370-7885).]

Panel discussion to launch the new UNESCO report entitled "Financing Education in Sub-Saharan Africa: Meeting the Challenges of Expansion, Equity and Quality" (organized by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO))

Tuesday, 17 May 2011, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For registration and further information, please contact Mr. Phillip Bastian, UNESCO (e-mail p.bastian@unesco.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5986). The report can be consulted at the following address: <www.uis.unesco.org/template/pdf/EducGeneral/Finance_EN_web.pdf>.]

UNITAR Orientation Course on the Economic and Social Council for members of the Council

Wednesday, 18 May 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

[For registration, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny/the-un-system>. For further information, please contact Mr. François Richard, UNITAR (e-mail francois.richard@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3021).]

UNITAR Seminar on United Nations operational activities for development

Wednesday, 25 May 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For registration, please visit <www.unitar.org/event/seminar-united-nations-operational-activities-development>. For further information, please contact Mr. Olivier Portoff, UNITAR (e-mail olivier.portoff@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3021).]

Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries

Istanbul, Turkey, 9–13 May 2011

The Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries will be held from *Monday, 9, to Friday, 13 May 2011*, in a compound consisting of the Lutfi Kirdar Convention and Exhibition Centre, the Istanbul Congress Centre, the Harbiye Cultural Centre and the Hilton Congress and Convention Centre, in Istanbul (Turkey).

It would include plenary meetings, a committee of the whole, high-level interactive thematic debates at the ministerial level for policy dialogue on key priority issues and parallel tracks for parliamentarians, civil society and the private sector and side events.

Plenary meetings

The formal opening of the Conference will take place on *Monday, 9 May 2011, at 9 a.m.* All plenary meetings will be held in the Anadolu Auditorium.

List of speakers

The list of speakers for the plenary meetings is open. Inscriptions shall be on a first-come, first-served basis, and will be rearranged in accordance with the established practice of the General Assembly. Delegations are reminded that interventions in the plenary meetings *should be limited to 10 minutes for Member States and 8 minutes for other participants*, on the understanding that this will not preclude the distribution of more extensive texts.

Delegations are kindly invited to inscribe on the list of speakers by e-mail (heddachem@un.org). For further information, please contact Ms. Meriem Heddache (tel. 1 (212) 963-5063).

High-level interactive thematic debates

The Conference will include six high-level interactive thematic debates as follows:

Thematic debate 1: Enhancing productive capacities and the role of the private sector in least developed countries (Monday, 9 May, from 3 to 6 p.m.);

Thematic debate 2: Resource mobilization for least developed countries' development and global partnership (Tuesday, 10 May, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.);

Thematic debate 3: Harnessing trade for least developed countries' development and transformation (Tuesday, 10 May, from 3 to 6 p.m.);

Thematic debate 4: Good governance at all levels (Wednesday, 11 May, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.);

Thematic debate 5: Reducing vulnerabilities, responding to emerging challenges and enhancing food security in least developed countries (Wednesday, 11 May, from 3 to 6 p.m.); and

Thematic debate 6: Human and social development, gender equality and empowerment of women (Thursday, 12 May, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.).

Each high-level interactive thematic debate will be open to participation of representatives of all Member States; representatives of entities with observer status in the General Assembly, relevant entities of the United Nations system and other accredited intergovernmental organizations; and representatives of accredited civil society organizations and business sector entities. No list of speakers will be established.

All delegations wishing to participate in the high-level interactive thematic debates are kindly requested to inscribe by e-mail with Ms. Radhika Padayachi (padayachi39@un.org) (copied to Ms. Celia Syyap (e-mail syyap@un.org)), indicating the name and the level of the participant.

Receipt and circulation of other documents

Other documents that United Nations entities, Governments, non-governmental organizations and business sector entities or other accredited organizations may wish to make available to participants in the Conference are to be provided by the entity concerned in appropriate languages and quantities. Members of United Nations entities should forward two copies of each document they intend to distribute to Ms. Sonia Elliott for screening. Ms. Elliott can also be reached by e-mail at elliotts@un.org. Any material not cleared by the above official will be considered unauthorized and will be removed.

Credentials of representatives

The credentials of representatives and the names of alternate representatives and advisers shall be submitted to the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States, who is the Secretary-General of the Conference. Any later change in the composition of delegations shall also be submitted to the Secretary-General of the Conference. All credentials should be submitted by delegations attending the Conference to the Protocol Accreditation Unit in Istanbul (fax +90 212 296 3666).

Composition of delegations

For the plenary meetings, each delegation will be assigned four seats. Specifically identified seating will be available for other participants in the Conference. In the committee rooms, each delegation will have one seat.

Delegations will be seated in English alphabetical order.

Further information can be found in the information note (A/CONF.219/INF/1) and on the Conference Web site <www.un.org/wcm/content/site/ldc/home>.

Economic and Social Council

Commission on Science and Technology for Development

Fourteenth session

United Nations Office at Geneva

In accordance with Economic and Social Council decision 2010/229, the fourteenth session of the Commission on Science and Technology will be held from Monday, 23, to Friday, 27 May 2011, in Conference Room XIX, at the Palais des Nations, Geneva. The annotated provisional agenda and organization of work are contained in document E/CN.16/2011/1/Rev.1.

Members of the Commission, as well as observers, who wish to attend are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to Mr. Mongi Hamdi, Head, Science, Technology and ICT Branch, Division on Technology and Logistics, UNCTAD, Room E.7077, Geneva (tel. 011-41-22-917-5069; fax 011-41-22-907-0197; e-mail mongi.hamdi@unctad.org).

In preparation for the session, delegations are invited to review the documentation and other background information at <www.unctad.org/ctsd>.

Inquiries on the fourteenth session of the Commission can also be directed to Mr. Otto Gustafik, Secretary of the Commission (e-mail gustafik@un.org).

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions in Room DC2-1142 as indicated below. All interested are kindly requested to register by e-mail (librarytraining@un.org) or telephone (1 (212) 963-5321).

Introduction to United Nations documents

In English:

Tuesday, 10 May 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon; and
Tuesday, 17 May 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

In Spanish:

Friday, 20 May 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Official Document System (ODS)

In English:

Thursday, 19 May 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

In French:

Wednesday, 25 May 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Introduction to RSS and feeds**In English:****Thursday, 19 May 2011, from 2 to 4 p.m.****Introduction to electronic resources****In English:****Tuesday, 24 May 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.****Country information resources****In English:****Thursday, 26 May 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.**

Reports of the Secretary-General on disarmament items to be submitted to the sixty-sixth session of the General Assembly

The Office for Disarmament Affairs would be grateful if Member States could communicate to the Office, in hard copy and electronic version, the relevant data and information, pursuant to the General Assembly resolutions indicated below, by *Friday, 13 May 2011*, so as to facilitate issuance of the reports in time for consideration by the General Assembly at its sixty-sixth session. Kindly send the electronic version simultaneously to Ms. Jenny Fuchs (fuchs@un.org).

Resolution 65/47, para. 8 (A/RES/65/47), entitled "Confidence-building measures in the regional and subregional context", adopted on 8 December 2010 (Note verbale ODA/18-2011/CBMRSC, dated 7 April 2011); and

Resolution 65/90, para. 8 (A/RES/65/90), entitled "Strengthening of security and cooperation in the Mediterranean region", adopted on 8 December 2010 (Note verbale ODA/19-2011/SSCMR, dated 11 April 2011)

Reporting to the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms

A note verbale concerning "Transparency in armaments" (ODA/09-2011/TIA) was issued on 3 March 2011. With reference to General Assembly resolution 64/54 (A/RES/64/54), it calls upon Member States to provide by *Tuesday, 31 May 2011*, national reports to the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms on international transfers of conventional arms and also invites, on an optional basis, to submit information on procurement through national production, military holdings and on international transfers of small arms and light weapons (SALW).

In accordance with the aforementioned resolution, Member States are also requested to present with their national reports the views on whether the inclusion of SALW as a main category in the Register would increase its relevance and influence on decisions to participate.

For further information and assistance, please contact Mr. Yuriy Kryvonos, Political Affairs Officer, Conventional Arms Branch, Office for Disarmament Affairs (e-mail kryvonos@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-1096).

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Friday, 6 May 2011

General Assembly

Committee on Information

Thirty-third session

4th meeting

Consideration and adoption of the report of the Committee to the General Assembly at its sixty-sixth session [10]

The Rapporteur introduced the draft report.

The Committee adopted its draft report to the General Assembly, by consensus, on the understanding that necessary amendments announced by the secretariat would be reflected in a corrigendum to the report.

The Chair made a statement.

The Committee thus concluded its thirty-third session.

Economic and Social Council

Commission on Sustainable Development

Nineteenth session

4th meeting

Election of officers [1]

The Commission resumed its consideration of the item.

The Commission elected, by acclamation, Ms. Ivy Banzon-Abalos (Philippines) as Vice-Chair of the Commission for its nineteenth session, to continue with the unexpired term of Mr. Eduardo Meñez (Philippines)

Thematic cluster for the implementation cycle 2010-2011 — policy session [3]

(a) *Transport*

(b) *Chemicals*

(c) *Waste management*

(d) *Mining*

(e) *A 10-year framework of programmes on sustainable consumption and production patterns*

Preamble, inter-linkages and cross-cutting issues, including means of implementation

The Commission resumed its consideration of the item.

The Co-Chairs of Working Group 1, Mr. Eduardo Meñez (Philippines) and Mr. Silvano Vergara Vásquez (Panama), reported on the progress in the negotiations.

The Co-Chairs of Working Group 2, H.E. Mr. Andrew Goleczkowski (Australia) and Mr. Abdelghani Merabet (Algeria), reported on the progress in the negotiations.

Statements were made by the representatives of the following major groups: indigenous peoples; non-governmental organizations; and scientific and technological communities (also on behalf of business and industry, and farmers groups).

Organization of work

A statement was made by the Chair.

Friday, 6 May 2011

General Assembly

International Law Commission

Sixty-third session

United Nations Office at Geneva

3085th meeting

Responsibility of international organizations [3]

The Commission continued its consideration of the second part of the Special Rapporteur's eighth report on the topic (A/CN.4/640). The Special Rapporteur summarized the debate on the second part of his eighth report. The Commission referred draft articles 19 to 66 to the Drafting Committee.

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names

Twenty-sixth session

United Nations Office at Vienna

9th meeting

Special presentation on the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA) presented by the Vice-Chair of the Group of Experts, Coordinator of the Task Team for Africa

The Group of Experts heard a special presentation by the Vice-Chair of the Group of Experts, Coordinator of the Task Team for Africa, on toponymic work in Africa.

Special presentation by the United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA) (by video-conferencing)

The Vice-Chair of the Group of Experts, Coordinator of the Task Team for Africa, the expert of the Africa Central Division, the representative of Google and the experts of the Africa East Division, and the Africa South Division, as well as the Chair, made comments and raised questions.

The Group of Experts thus concluded its consideration of the special presentation.

The Chair and the Vice-Chairs of the Group of Experts presented certificates for the winners of the "Competition on Place Names".

The representative of the secretariat of the Group of Experts made an announcement.

Adoption of the report [23]

The Chair made a statement.

The Secretary made a statement.

The Rapporteurs read out the draft report.

The Chair and the experts of the Arabic Division, the Asia East Division (other than China) and the United States/Canada Division, as well as the Convenor of the Working Group on Training Courses in Toponymy and the expert of the Latin America Division, made revisions to the draft report.

The representative of the secretariat of the Group of Experts made an announcement.

The Group of Experts thus concluded this stage of consideration of agenda item 23.

10th meeting

Adoption of the report [23]

The Group of Experts resumed the consideration of this item.

The Chair made a statement.

The Rapporteurs read out the draft report.

The Chair and the experts of the Dutch- and German-speaking Division, the United States/Canada Division and the Asia South-West Division (other than Arabic), as well as the representative of the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN) (on behalf of the representative of Google) and the expert of the Asia South-East and Pacific South-West Division, made revisions to the draft report.

The Group of Experts adopted the draft report as a whole, as revised, and thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 23.

The experts of the Asia East Division (other than China) and the Norden Division made statements.

The Chair made a concluding statement.

The Chief of the Statistical Services Branch of the United Nations Statistics Division, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), made a statement.

The Chair declared the twenty-sixth session of the Group of Experts on Geographical Names closed.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights. New York, 16 December 1966

Notification under article 4 (3): Bahrain (28 April 2011)¹

¹ Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization to the Convention on Biological Diversity (Nagoya, 29 October 2010)

Nagoya-Kuala Lumpur Supplementary Protocol on Liability and Redress to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety (Nagoya, 15 October 2010)

Signature Ceremony Event

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, acting in his capacity as depositary, communicates the following:

The Nagoya Protocol on Access to Genetic Resources and the Fair and Equitable Sharing of Benefits Arising from their Utilization to the Convention on Biological Diversity (Nagoya Protocol) and the Nagoya-Kuala Lumpur Supplementary Protocol on Liability and Redress to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety (Supplementary Protocol) opened for signature on 2 February 2011 and 7 March 2011, respectively, at United Nations Headquarters in New York.

On Wednesday, 11 May 2011, during the high-level segment of the nineteenth session of the United Nations Commission on Sustainable Development, another signature ceremony of the Nagoya Protocol and the Supplementary Protocol will be organized by the Treaty Section, in collaboration with the Secretariat of the Convention on Biological Diversity, at United Nations Headquarters in New York, from 3.15 to 4.15 p.m. in Conference Room A (NLB).

Certified true copies of the Protocols, of which the Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish texts are equally authentic, which have already been distributed, are available at the following addresses:

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Parties to the Convention on Biological Diversity wishing to sign the Nagoya Protocol or/and the Parties to the Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety wishing to sign the Supplementary Protocol are invited to contact the Treaty Section and, where applicable, to provide copies of the required full powers in advance, to the Treaty Section for review (contact: Ms. Muriel Djella Ogandaga (e-mail ogandaga@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-9820; fax 1 (212) 963-3693); or Ms. Sagine Damas (e-mail damas@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5047; fax 1 (212) 963-3693)).

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Mrs. Sanja Zografiska-Krsteska

Chargé d'affaires

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H.E. Mrs. Janine Elizabeth Coye-Felson

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H.E. Mr. Cesare Maria Ragaglini

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